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Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a two-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed May 24, 2007, said period of response being extended from August 24, 2007 to October 24, 2007.

Please charge the required extension fee in the amount of \$460.00 for a large entity to Deposit Account No. 50-0494.

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